

# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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| Attorney Docket No.    | 16869G-099900US                                    |
| First Inventor         | Nakamura, Shigeo                                   |
| Title                  | HEAD SUPPORT MECHANISM AND<br>MAGNETIC DISK DEVICE |
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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning design patent application contents.

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
2. ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
3. ☒ Specification [Total Pages 10 ]  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4. ☒ Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) [Total Sheets 3 ]
5. Oath or Declaration [Total Pages ]
  - a. ☐ Newly executed (original or copy)
  - b. ☐ Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
    - i. ☐ DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
6. ☒ Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

## ADDRESS TO

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7. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)
  - a. ☐ Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b. Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i. ☐ CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii. ☐ paper number of pages
  - c. ☐ Statements verifying identity of above copies

## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS

9. ☐ Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
10. ☐ 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement ☐ Power of Attorney  
(when there is an assignee)
11. ☐ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 ☐ Copies of IDS Citations
13. ☐ Preliminary Amendment
14. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)  
(Should be specifically itemized)
15. ☐ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)  
(if foreign priority is claimed)
16. ☐ Nonpublication Request under 35 U.S.C. 122 (b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent
17. ☐ Other:

18. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below and in the first sentence of the specification following the title, or in an Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76:

☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application No: \_\_\_\_\_  
Prior application information: Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Art Unit: \_\_\_\_\_

For CONTINUATION OF DIVISIONAL APPS only: The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL for FY 2004

Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## Complete if Known

Application Number \_\_\_\_\_  
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 Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_  
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## METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)

☐ Check ☐ Credit Card ☐ Money Order ☐ Other ☐ None

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## FEE CALCULATION

## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description        | Fee Paid |
|--------------|--------------|----------|----------|------------------------|----------|
|              |              | 1001     | 770      | Utility filing fee     | 770      |
|              |              | 1002     | 340      | Design filing fee      |          |
|              |              | 1003     | 530      | Plant filing fee       |          |
|              |              | 1004     | 770      | Reissue filing fee     |          |
|              |              | 1005     | 160      | Provisional filing fee |          |

SUBTOTAL (1)

(\$770)

## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

|                     |   |         | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|---------------------|---|---------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| Total Claims        | 6 | -20** = | 0            | X\$18          | = \$0    |
| Independent Claims  | 4 | -3** =  | 1            | X\$86          | = \$86   |
| Multiple Dependent1 |   |         |              | X              | = \$290  |

| Large Entity | Small Entity | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description  |
|--------------|--------------|----------|----------|--|
|              |              | 1202     | 18       | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
|              |              | 1201     | 86       | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
|              |              | 1203     | 290      | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
|              |              | 1204     | 86       | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
|              |              | 1205     | 18       | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |

SUBTOTAL (2)

(\$376)

\*\*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

## 3. ADDITIONAL FEES

| Large | Entity | Small | Entity | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Description  | Fee Paid |
|-------|--------|-------|--------|----------|----------|--|----------|
| 1051  | 130    | 2051  | 65     |          |          | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052  | 50     | 2052  | 25     |          |          | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.                    |          |
| 1053  | 130    | 1053  | 130    |          |          | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812  | 2,520  | 1812  | 2,520  |          |          | For filing a request for reexamination                                     |          |
| 1804  | 920*   | 1804  | 920*   |          |          | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805  | 1,840* | 1805  | 1,840* |          |          | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251  | 110    | 2251  | 55     |          |          | Extension for reply within first month                                     |          |
| 1252  | 420    | 2252  | 210    |          |          | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253  | 950    | 2253  | 475    |          |          | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254  | 1,480  | 2254  | 740    |          |          | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255  | 2,010  | 2255  | 1,005  |          |          | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401  | 330    | 2401  | 165    |          |          | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402  | 330    | 2402  | 165    |          |          | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403  | 290    | 2403  | 145    |          |          | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451  | 1,510  | 1451  | 1,510  |          |          | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452  | 110    | 2452  | 55     |          |          | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453  | 1,330  | 2453  | 665    |          |          | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
| 1501  | 1,330  | 2501  | 665    |          |          | Utility issue fee (or reissue)   |          |
| 1502  | 480    | 2502  | 240    |          |          | Design issue fee   |          |
| 1503  | 640    | 2503  | 320    |          |          | Plant issue fee  |          |
| 1460  | 130    | 1460  | 130    |          |          | Petitions to the Commissioner  |          |
| 1807  | 50     | 1807  | 50     |          |          | Petitions related to provisional applications                              |          |
| 1806  | 180    | 1806  | 180    |          |          | Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt                                  |          |
| 8021  | 40     | 8021  | 40     |          |          | Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties) |          |
| 1809  | 770    | 2809  | 385    |          |          | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))              |          |
| 1810  | 770    | 2810  | 385    |          |          | For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))           |          |
| 1801  | 770    | 2801  | 385    |          |          | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802  | 900    | 1802  | 900    |          |          | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

Other fee (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

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